

Day Care Center Closes Due to Enrollment Lack

Hillsboro's child care center was closed Wednesday due to lack of sufficient enrollment to justify continuance. The center had been in operation during June on a trial basis through the co-operation of a number of local business firms. Enrollment at the time of closing included four children on a full-time basis and one part time.

Several such centers were also closed in Portland because of a lack of enrollment.

Mrs. Homer Settlemier, chairman of the joint sponsors committee from the Parent-Teacher association, Lions Club Auxiliary and A. A. U. W., expressed regret at the necessity of closing the center and said that if a real demand developed later it might be tried in the fall either on full time or on an after-school care basis.

The center was intended for the care of children of working mothers and the sponsoring organizations felt that there was no demand for supervised care that would be appreciated, not only by the parents but also by the children.

Patriotism Feature July 4 Observance

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The three-day program will get under way Saturday afternoon with "Kiddies Day" from 1 to 6 p. m. with all children under 12 admitted to all mechanical rides on the Shute park Midway at reduced prices. Crowning of the Goddess of Victory will feature the Saturday evening program. Dancing will be enjoyed in the auditorium all three days and there will be carnival attractions, free acts and sports on horseback.

Sports feature on the program will be "Flagola," an exciting combination of polo and football on horseback. More than 30 horsemen have been practicing for four weeks and two different teams will play each day. A special program of sports events for horsewomen will be held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

"Zoradio Treubadours," featuring three trapeze artists and a dog show, will furnish the free act feature. The troupe will perform twice daily on the Midway.

Rev. Schreiber to Begin Fourth Year

BANKS—Rev. Charles Schreiber will start his fourth year as pastor here Sunday at 10 a. m. by giving highlights of the annual Methodist conference in Portland. Mrs. Schreiber and Mrs. Russell Burrus will also tell of their visit to the conference and things that impressed them there. Sunday school begins at 10 a. m. and Mrs. Francis Upward is the new Sunday school superintendent.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Schreiber are spending this week at Bay City. Rev. Schreiber and a group of Methodist ministers are repairing a parsonage there.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Swank and children were guests Thursday at Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Swank in Hillsboro and with Mr. and Mrs. Jack LaGess of Garden City, Kan., who are guests at the R. M. Swank home.

Banks College Boys To Take Training

BANKS—A number of Banks boys who attended college this past year have been called into service and will take navy training at various colleges. They leave this week. Robert Schlegel of Pacific university will train at University of Washington. James Cason, also of Pacific university, will train at Washburn university at Topeka, Kan.; Norman Lien of Oregon State college will take his training at University of Colorado; Hollis Hartwick of the University of Oregon goes to U. C. L. A. at Los Angeles, and Warren Taylor, who graduated this year from the University of Oregon, goes to a college in Chicago. Don Moore of Portland, formerly of Banks, who was a junior at Oregon State, left Friday for Purdue University in Indiana for navy training.

MRS. UNA E. KIRTS—Funeral services for Mrs. Una E. Kirts, 81, were held Monday at 2:30 p. m. at Holman & Lutz. Interment was at Lincoln Memorial Park. She died at her home Friday. Rev. J. Claude Neely officiated.

Mrs. Kirts was born at Hillsboro August 22, 1861, and received her education in Oregon rural schools. She lived in Portland about 35 years. She was a member of the International Sourdough society.

Surviving are a daughter, Evelyn Waite Foster, two brothers, Dwight Pomeroy, Hillsboro, and Silas Pomeroy, Sherwood, and two sisters, Mrs. Lela Robinson, Junction City, and Mrs. Stella Pomeroy, Eagle Creek.

Mrs. America Meets the War

Editor's Note: War touches every home and every citizen. This column, based on official government information and prepared by the Office of War Information, shows how the war will affect Mrs. America and her home.

Mrs. America will have until October 31, to make her selection of footwear with the new shoe stamp, number 18 in war ration book one. That's 11 days longer than the period of validity for stamp 17. The length of time assigned to the shoe stamps brings the rate of purchasing about to the same as it was during the period from 1938 through 1941.

There's good news on the textile situation. Improvement in wool supplies in recent months is responsible for a relaxation of some restrictions of the War Production Board. For example, manufacturers no longer are required to use any part of their wool quotas blended with other fibers. The choice of using wool quotas either for a production of 100 per cent wool or blended civilian yarns and cloths is left to the manufacturer. Reporting on the cotton fabric production that production for the first quarter of 1943 exceeded that of the same period in 1942 by 27 million linear yards.

The new pay-as-you-go income tax law, which goes into effect July 1, has focused Mrs. America's attention to the Bureau of Internal Revenue. As a matter of fact, the bureau will draw the interest of many women workers for most of the approximately 15,000 new employees added to handle the new tax system will be women. However, the addition of so many women employees is not new to the bureau. As far back as February, 1942, women employees made up 42.8 per cent of the total personnel. Although the majority of the women employees are clerical workers, many of them have been handling technical jobs requiring thorough knowledge of various tax laws.

And now for encouraging news from the leather goods department. There should be more dress gloves, mittens, pocketbooks, handbags, brief cases, tobacco pouches and key cases made of cattle hide and calf and kip skin leather or the market. These leather products for civilian use had been prohibited, but a War Production Board amendment will allow manufacturers to use until December 31 cattle hide and calf and kip skin leather for any purpose provided it was ordered prior to February 17, 1943, and delivered before April 1.

The letters "Mr." on radio tube-made for home sets stand for "Maintenance and Repair" and the trademark tubes which are made from materials allocated for civilian sets. Speaking of radios, it is not necessary now to remove a radio from an automobile when selling the car or to get a special WPP authorization for such a transfer without removal of the radio.

Wilcox Attends Gas Conference

Washington county was represented at a war gas conference held in Salem last Saturday by Keith Wilcox, senior gas officer. The conference was a round table discussion for the senior gas officers of the coastal defense area and headed by J. D. Patterson, states consultant, together with Dr. Dallas Dedrick, U. S. C. chemist, and Major G. E. Arnold, gas officer for the ninth regional. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the ways and means of the present problems of gas defense.

"Sometimes Civilian Defense work and civilian protective requirements seem a nuisance but the enemy is waiting to catch us unprepared; therefore regardless of events stick to your job until the last shot of this war is fired," states Wilcox. "If we are fully protected the enemy will probably never attack, but if we ever let down we are inviting an attack from the enemy. As a harassing agent war gas will cause five times the morale disturbance that any bombing, explosive or incendiary, could ever hope to achieve. If a person has a small knowledge of war gases they can easily protect themselves against injury or fear from the gas."

Mountaintale

Mrs. Earl Hollenbeck visited last week at Laurel at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leonard VanDorn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mathiesen of Astoria were Friday dinner guests at the James Mathiesen home.

Frank Robinson of Gresham, who was on sick leave from the army, visited several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Leming.

W. K. Arnold, who has been very ill, is able to be up and around again.

A nice crowd attended a community picnic held on the Mountaintale school grounds Sunday.

Berry Season at Banks Near End; Operations Continued by Barrelers

BANKS—Strawberry season will be over this week except for the berries that are coming in from the mountains. The Rosie plant closed last week on strawberries but is now barreling cherries. The Kelly-Farquhar plant is still handling strawberries as well as cherries. The Hudson-Duncan company, who have been barreling strawberries, expect to close this week.

Mrs. Cliff Sandy spent the weekend in Portland with her daughters, Mrs. Francis Thompson, Mrs. Maurice Thompson and Mrs. Philip Wessels and their families.

On Furlough—Merrill Mead, who is stationed in Pennsylvania, arrived Friday on furlough for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Mead, and other relatives.

Mrs. W. L. Moore spent Thursday and Friday in Portland at the home of her son, Windsor Moore. It was a farewell visit with Windsor who left Saturday for Boise, Idaho, where he is field chief in a government survey crew and will be in the field for several months.

Mothers Meet July 8—Regular meeting of the Mothers' club will be July 8 instead of July 1.

Goes to Texas—Francis Miller of Seaside, a former Banks resident, left Sunday for Texas, where he will be in the Border patrol, a branch of the air service. He joined this several months ago but was prevented from going by an injury to his leg.

Leaves for Colorado—Mr. and Mrs. Noel Skelton and family left last Tuesday for Denver.

Rites Held for Abraham Bailey

Funeral services were held Sunday at Latter Day Saints church, Vernonia, for Abraham Bailey, 23, of Forest Grove, who died Thursday. Interment was at Buxton cemetery, with arrangements by Forest Grove Undertaking company.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey, and sister, Mrs. Margaret Long, all of Buxton.

He had been with the U. S. army since last fall and was given an honorable discharge and sent home from Lincoln, Neb., last April because of ill health.

North Plains

Mrs. A. F. Christener will entertain Past Chiefs on July 1. Mrs. Cecil Reuf of Monmouth is visiting several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Sanford.

Jacktown Club Sponsors Party

JACKTOWN—About 35 attended the party sponsored by the Industrial club at the school house last Friday evening. Outdoor games and contests were played.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thompson and daughter, Carmie Rae, visited Mrs. Johnny Buzik of Hillsboro last Thursday and Friday. Dean and Barbara Ann Higley, who have been visiting their uncle

and aunt here, and a brother and sister, who have been visiting an aunt in Portland, returned home with them.

Mrs. Alma Apple of Denver, Colo., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Chappell, for a few weeks. Another daughter, Mrs. Virgil Rainwater, and son of Vernonia were guests a few days at the Chappell home.

Ask your neighbor who borrows this paper, why he doesn't subscribe for the Argus.

Ways to Aid Farm Labor Problem Cited

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minute. Short notice may cause confusion and less satisfactory service. It was also suggested that in areas where two or three growers are located close together that they may wish to use one platform between them. However, representatives of the Portland platform state that they cannot be broken up but

that several growers could use them by shifting them from one patch to another as a group. Merchants and others who are interested in doing emergency farm work this summer are urged, if they have not already signed up, to indicate their desire to the farm labor office or their local chamber of commerce or civic clubs so that they may be placed on the list of available help.

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Entrants please report to committee on Washington Street, between 1st and 2nd Aves., on or before 9 a. m. Monday, July 5th.

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